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For: MAGNETIC CARRIER FOR BIOLOGICAL  
SUBSTANCE, PRODUCTION METHOD  
THEREOF AND ISOLATION METHOD OF  
BIOLOGICAL SUBSTANCE USING SAME

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.